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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

re Application of:

Applicant : James M. Kadushin et al.
Serial No. : 10/643,322
Filed : August 19, 2003
For : METHOD AND COMPOSITION FOR
FORMING A PROTECTIVE COATING ON
AN ASSAY SUBSTRATE AND
SUBSTRATE PRODUCED BY THE SAME
Examiner : Lyle Alexander
Art Unit : 1797
Confirmation No. : 3954
Attorney Docket No. : 374.1.015

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE AS FIRST CLASS MAIL IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO: MAIL STOP RCE, COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, P.O. BOX 1450, ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313-1450

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PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME

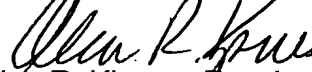
Dear Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a Brief on Appeal from February 22, 2008 for one month until March 22, 2008.

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Enclosed herewith is a check in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the requisite fee. If any additional fee is due, it should be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0510.

Respectfully submitted,


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